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Lumbago, Neuralgia, Pains in the Side and Limbs, Sciatic, Burns, Old Sores, Bruises, Chills, Frost Bites, Ringworms, Itch, Sprains, Swollen Joints, Sore Throat, Mumps, Poison, Spinal Disease, Gout, Pleurisy, Pains in Chest and Shoulder.  
It is a weak, but more good in one night than all the other plasters in the world. It stands without a rival for Rheumatism, Swelling in Horses, Scalds, Old Sores, Kicks, Windgalls, and all diseases which require an external remedy.  
Price 25 cts. 50 cts. and \$1.00 per bottle.

**STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.**  
ALEXANDRIA, VA., Nov. 27, 1891.  
THE AMOUNT OF STOCK required by the act of incorporation having been subscribed to the capital stock of THE ALEXANDRIA AND FAIRFAX PASSENGER RAILWAY COMPANY, and the authorized, commissioners, having received the cash payment upon the amount of subscriptions, as required by law, notice is hereby given to the subscribers to the said stock to meet at the office of the Alexandria Real Estate Investment, Trust and Title Company, Alexandria, Va., at 10 o'clock a. m. on MONDAY, December 14, 1891, for the purpose of electing officers and directors to said company.  
REBEY STRAUSS  
SAAC KITCHEN  
GEORGE W. FISHER } Commrs.  
for 27-1

**AUCTION SALES.**  
By R. T. Lucas, & Co., Auctioneer.  
BY VIRTUE of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Virginia, entered in the chancery cause of C. M. Castleman vs. B. H. Berry et al., the undersigned, special commissioners, will sell at public auction, in front of the County Court House, Columbus street, Alexandria city, Virginia, on  
MONDAY, DECEMBER 7th, 1891,  
at 12 o'clock noon, the following property in Alexandria county, Virginia, to wit:  
First, A LOT OF LAND lying on the south side of the Arlington turnpike road, adjoining the property of the St. Johns Orphanage (formerly the residence of James T. Clee) on the east, containing two acres, and improved by a TWO STORY FRAME DWELLING, formerly the residence of Benjamin Austin.  
Second, The TRACT OF LAND adjoining the above described tract on the east, containing two acres, being that tract which Thomas J. Hume died seized and possessed.  
Terms of Sale: One third of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in two equal payments at six and twelve months from the day of sale; the purchaser to give his notes for the deferred payments, which are to bear interest from day of sale and be secured by deeds of trust upon the property sold. All conveying at the cost of purchasers.  
A. W. ARMSTRONG, } Commrs.  
SAML. G. BEEKT.  
GEO. A. MUSHBACK. }  
nov9 w4w

**Our Fall and Winter Stock**  
Is now complete.  
We are showing new effects in DRESS GOODS, Bedford Cord, 33 in. wide, 50c per yard. Priscilla Sattins, 40 in. wide, 50c per yard. Vienna Cloths, 36 inches wide, 18c per yard. Dress Flannels, Boucle Cloths, Broad Cloths, Camels' Hair, Homespuns and other weaves, all at attractive prices.  
SPECIAL—One case of 40-in. Henriettes, in blacks and colors, dies pattern lengths, at 20c per yard. This is just half their actual value.  
New stock of Silks, Velvets, Pushers, Astrachans, Fur Brads, Gimps, Paesmenticos, Jot Nails, Heads and other Dress Trimmings.  
We have the latest styles in LADIES' MISSES' and CHILDREN'S CLOAKS. All new, just opened this day. Same will be offered at rock-bottom prices.  
We are showing some very pretty things in Upholstery Goods, Lace Curtains and Curtain Fixtures.  
25 beautiful pattern 6-4 Chenille Table Covers at \$1. This is a rare bargain.  
Blankets, Comforters and Bed Spreads, in all grades, ranging in price from 75c to \$12.  
Our Underwear stock is immensely large. We have articles for all sexes, all sizes and at all prices. Come and see them. We will please you in price as well as quality.  
Big drive in Misses' Black Ribbed Hose. Closed out a lot of 100 dozen, full regular made with double knee. Sizes 6 to 7 will be sold at 13c, or 2 pairs for 25c; 7s and 8s 15c per pair. They are worth double this low price.  
We could enumerate further, as we have added to every department, but space will not permit. You are invited to come and see for yourselves to appreciate our goods.  
We would urge that you call early and secure the choice.

**The State Line**  
A comparatively small number of people know the ancient points in regard to the action of the Commonwealth of Virginia against the State of Tennessee, in which depositions are now being taken in Bristol, and which will cost a vast deal of money, to re-establish the line between the two States. It is the biggest land suit on record, and embraces something over seven square miles of territory. Virginia claims that she is entitled to the territory up to the parallel of latitude of 36 degrees and 30 minutes north. If she succeeds in establishing her claim she will swallow up half of the Tennessee counties of Hancock, Hawkins, Johnson, Calhoun and Sullivan, taking in Saeedville, county seat of Hancock, and Bona-ville, county seat of Sullivan county.  
The suit was originated in 1886, when Judge W. F. Rhea was a member of the Virginia Legislature. He introduced a bill providing that the Governor of Virginia request the Governor of Tennessee to appoint a joint board of commissioners who would re-run and settle the disputed line between the two States. The bill was passed and Governor Fitzhugh Lee made the request of Governor Robert L. Taylor. Governor Taylor refused to have the Tennessee commissioners appointed to act with a like number whom Virginia proposed to appoint.  
The matter dragged along, in statu quo, until 1888, when Virginia brought suit against Tennessee in the Supreme Court of the United States. Testimony in the case has been quite voluminous and has not yet been finished. The case will come up for trial in Washington in January.—Boston Courier.

**COCOA.**  
GOLD MEDAL, PARIS, 1875.  
**W. BAKER & CO.'S**  
Breakfast  
Cocoa  
from which the excess of oil has been removed, is Absolutely Pure and it is Soluble.  
No Chemicals are used in its preparation. It has more than three times the strength of Cocoa mixed with Starch, Arrowroot or Sugar, and is therefore far more economical, costing less than one cent a cup. It is delicious, nourishing, strengthening, EASILY DIGESTED, and admirably adapted for invalids as well as for persons in health.  
Sold by Grocers everywhere.  
W. BAKER & CO., Dorchester, Mass.

**FOR SALE AND RENT.**  
**WOOD AND COAL YARD**  
AND FINE DWELLING  
FOR SALE.  
Joffe & private sale the Wood and Coal Yard and Outfit of the firm Geo. S. Smith & Son, on Fairfax street, between Queen and Princess streets, Alexandria, Va. The outfit consists of one shute van, two shute carts, two wood cars, five horses, engine and boiler, one woodcutter, one set of Fairbanks' scales and all other necessary fixtures.  
The yard is doing a good business, and this is a first-class opportunity for a person to engage in a profitable enterprise.  
Also the residence, 222 North St. Asaph street. The house and side lot has a frontage on St. Asaph street of fifty feet nine inches, and has a double parlor, dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms and conservatory, water, gas and latrine stoves, and is in first-class condition.  
nov27 tf WM. H. SMITH, City Sgrt.

**STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.**  
ALEXANDRIA, VA., Nov. 24, 1891.  
THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the VIRGINIA MIDLAND RAILWAY COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, in Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, the sixteenth (16th) day of December, A. D. 1891, at twelve o'clock noon, for the transaction of all business of a general or special nature that may be submitted to the meeting. The transfer books to be closed at 3 o'clock P. M. of December and reopened on the morning of December 17th next.  
nov25 td W. H. MARRIAGE, Secretary.

**D. BENDHEIM**  
316 KING STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
EDUCATIONAL.  
BRANCH  
**ACME PHONOGRAPHY**  
AND  
**Business School.**  
SABETTA HALL, KING STREET,  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
Evening classes are now forming.  
Branches: Tangent—Short-hand, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, Penmanship, Arithmetic, English. Class hours from 7 to 9 on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings.  
Call or send for pamphlet to 224 North Patrick street, or to the hall during class hours.  
F. J. MULVEY, Principal.  
nov11 1m E. E. WIRET, Vice Principal.

**Edison's Latest.**  
"I expect to receive telephonic messages from the sun before next Christmas," said Inventor Edison a few days ago. "I don't mean," he continued, "that any son of the sun will do the familiar 'Hello, hello! Is that you, Tom?' but I do expect to hear the boom and bang and general hubbub that we know to be constantly going on among the mighty elements there."  
This is the most audacious thing that the wizard of invention ever attempted. It is on a level with the idea of communicating with the supposed inhabitants of Venus and Mars, and the trust bequest of \$20,000 left last summer by a French nun, to be given to the person who shall discover such means of communication.  
The mountainous regions of New Jersey are rich in iron ore, and Edison is the owner of a peak, about a mile in diameter at the base, which he has been mining for some time. He has been working to convert this mountain into a huge telephonic. The common telephone is made by running a wire around the top of a magnetic bar, and this, when charged with electricity, enables one to register the sounds that come in contact with it.  
Edison has wound many miles of wire around the top of his iron mountain, forming an inductive circuit, which will produce powerful electric currents. This is the means by which he expects to hear explosions caused by the gaseous outbursts in the sun, and the gigantic telephone is so nearly completed that it will probably be ready for a test within two or three weeks. Pyralides, generally, have no faith in the practicability of the solar telephone. But Edison is something of a physicist himself, and his novel experiment will at least be awaited with much interest.—J. H. Webb in the Pittsburg Dispatch.

**BRICKS.**  
**THE ALEXANDRIA BRICK WORKS,**  
Situating on Hunting creek, are now prepared to receive orders and deliver Bricks of all kinds used in the trade on the shortest notice. Apply to  
M. B. HAELOW,  
Secretary and Treasurer.  
nov28 f

**ELECTION NOTICE.**  
To the Judges of Election of the city of Alexandria: Pursuant to the above writ of election, issued to me by P. W. McKinney, Governor of Virginia, to fill a vacancy from the Eighth Congressional District, composed of the counties of Loudoun, Fairfax, Prince William, Orange, Louisa, Culpeper, Stafford, King George, Alexandria city and Alexandria county, occasioned by the death of Hon. W. H. F. Lee, you are hereby directed to open polls, at your respective places for voting, on Wednesday, December 3rd, 1891, for the election of a member of Congress to fill said vacancy.  
Given under my hand, this 7th day of November, 1891. W. H. SMITH, City Sergeant.  
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**LOUIS WEINGART'S RESTAURANT,**  
503 KING STREET.  
OYSTERS, the Finest to be had, served in every style, and the best of LIQUORS, CIGARS and TOBACCO to be had at the Bar.  
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**NOW SELLS OYSTERS.**  
BREngle, 531 KING STREET,  
Supplies CHOICE OYSTERS to families and caterers for fairs and entertainments. Clean, nice rooms are provided for Oyster lunches and suppers. Everything of the best.  
FRIED OYSTERS a specialty.  
oct24 2m  
**JAMES E. MCKINNEY & CO.,**  
Wholesale and Retail  
**Oyster Dealers,**  
N. W. COR. PRINCE AND ROYAL STREETS,  
Alexandria, Virginia.  
Country and city orders solicited and promptly filled.  
oct20 1m

**LEMON ELIXIR.**  
Its Wonderful Effect on the Liver, Stomach, Bowels, Kidneys and Blood.  
Dr. Mosley's Lemon Elixir is a pleasant lemon drink that cures all Biliousness, Constipation, Indigestion, all Sick and Nervous Disorders, Kidney Disease, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Fevers, Chills, Palpitation of Heart and all other diseases caused by disordered liver, stomach and kidneys, the first great cause of all fatal diseases. 50 cts. and \$1 per bottle. Sold by Druggists. Prepared only by Dr. Mosley, M. D., Atlanta, Ga.  
nov16 1m

**QUYBON,**  
THE GREAT FEVER, AGUE AND MALARIAL REMEDY.  
THE GREY MEDICINE MANUFACTURING COMPANY offers to the public "QUYBON" as the best known remedy for Fever and Ague, Malaria and Disorders of the Liver. "Quyon" contains no mineral substance; it has never failed to effect a cure. It is put up in capsules (12 in a bottle), and two or three doses will eradicate the worst case of Malaria or Fever and Ague. Try it. Price one dollar per bottle.  
For sale by all druggists.  
THE GREY MEDICINE MANUFACTURING COMPANY.  
sep19

**ROBT. T. GRIMES, Merchant Tailor,**  
No. 322 King Street, Alexandria, Va.  
Inviting attention of the public to his carefully selected stock of  
**FALL AND WINTER GOODS,**  
Which he is prepared to manufacture into the most stylish Suits, at the shortest notice and on most reasonable terms. A trial is all I ask.  
sep23 2m R. T. GRIMES, 322 King Street.

**W. M. MURRAY**  
MERCHANT TAILOR,  
517 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Informs his customers that he has received a Supply of Fall & Winter Goods,  
And is now prepared to furnish  
SUITS IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES  
on reasonable terms.  
sep21

**COMMERCIAL MERCHANTS.**  
**J. C. MILBURN,**  
COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
AND DEALER IN  
FANCY AND STAPLE GROCERIES.  
PROPRIETORS OF  
POTOMAC BRAND OF FLOUR,  
dec26 Which is unexcelled.  
**CHARLES KING & SON,**  
**WHOLESALE GROCERS,**  
217-223 NORTH LEE STREET,  
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Sole Agents for Satisfaction to  
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And Dealers in  
ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS,  
Have on hand GIBSON'S XX, XXX, XXXX, PURE OLD RYE, OLD CABINET and MONTAGRAM WHISKIES; also BAKER'S and THOMPSON'S PURE RYE WHISKIES, to which they invite the attention of the trade. Orders from the country for merchandise shall receive prompt attention.  
Shipments of Flour, Grain and Country Produce solicited, for which they guarantee the highest market prices and prompt payment.  
Nearest corner of Cameron and Royal streets.  
oct14

**SMOOT & CO.,**  
(Successors to J. Reister Smoot & Co.)  
**STEAM FLOORING & PLANING MILL**  
Manufacturers of  
DOOR and WINDOW FRAMES, MOLDINGS, &c.  
Dealers in  
LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, NAILS, LIME, CALCINED PLASTER and CEMENT.  
NO. 25 NORTH UNION ST.  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.  
Lumber delivered in the city free.  
(ESTABLISHED 69 YEARS.)  
**JOSIAH H. D. SMOOT & SON,**  
DEALER IN  
Lumber, Shingles, Laths,  
NAILS, LIME, CEMENT, CALCINED PLASTER  
&c., &c., &c.  
MANUFACTURERS OF  
FLOORING, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, FRAMES, MOLDINGS, MANTELS, BRACKETS  
AND ALL KINDS OF WOOD  
Office and yard No. 21 North Union st., Factory No. 13 and 15 North Lee st., Alexandria, Va.  
No charge for delivery in city. jan23

**W. F. OREIGNTON & CO.**  
For coughs and colds, take Lemon Hot Drops.  
For throat and bronchitis, take Lemon Hot Drops.  
For pneumonia and Laryngitis, take Lemon Hot Drops.  
For Consumption and Catarrh, take Lemon Hot Drops.  
For Hemorrhage and all throat and lung diseases, take Lemon Hot Drops.  
An elegant and reliable preparation.  
25 cents, at druggists. Prepared only by Dr. H. Mizley, Atlanta, Ga.  
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**GROCERIES, &c.**  
J. W. CARR. O. F. SWETNAM.  
CARR & SWETNAM,  
GROCERY, LIQUOR AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.  
Corner King and Washington streets, McBurney's old stand.  
We have just opened at the above stand with an entirely new and varied stock of Staple and Fine Groceries, Liquors, &c., and solicit a share of the public patronage.  
Fine Liquors of all kinds for family use a specialty.  
B. F. Gravel's best selected Tobacco, three years old.  
**BISHOP'S BIRD HEALTH REST**  
If your canary is sick and droopy, use the Restorer. It can be found at  
ERNEST L. ALLEN,  
Corner King and Pitt streets.  
feb1  
We have just received a line of  
APRIL'S SUPPLIES.  
and will sell them at Washington prices.  
W. T. SMITH, 301 King Street.  
oct13  
**MONTGOMERY LIME JUICE** for sale by  
J. C. MILBURN.  
jan29

**DISPENSARY CURE.**  
ABOMINABLE!  
Just received a supply of the above celebrated preparation. It never fails. Price 25c. For sale by  
oct22 W. F. OREIGNTON & CO.  
**"SARSAPARILLINE."**  
FOR THE BLOOD,  
feb26 J. D. H. LUNT'S.  
**PERRY'S HARNES OIL SOAP.**  
Three sizes—31, 50 and 25c each; the finest article in the world for harness. For sale by  
feb27 W. F. OREIGNTON & CO.  
**MOCKING BIRD FOOD,**  
Put up in boxes and bottles, at 25c each.  
ERNEST L. ALLEN,  
Corner King and Pitt streets.  
feb13  
**SMITH'S BURE CURE FOR CORNS.**  
Price 10c a bottle. For sale by W. T. SMITH.  
feb19  
**FOR CHILLS AND FEVER**  
J. D. H. LUNT'S AGUE CURE.  
Price 50c per bottle.  
feb26  
**A NICE assortment of VIRGINIA-MADE CASSIMERE,** suitable for gents or boys, very cheap at  
nov17 AMORE SLAYMAKERS.  
**A LARGE LOT OF ALL-WOOL SCARLET A SHIRTS and DRAWERS** at a great job just received at  
nov25 A. B. SLAYMAKERS.  
**JUST RECEIVED—A big job in Scarlet and Nat Wool Underwear.** Come and see them at  
nov17 AMORE SLAYMAKERS.  
**25 BAGS CALIFORNIA LIMA BEANS,** new just received by  
nov25 J. C. MILBURN.  
**FINEST QUALITY CAPE COD CRABBERIES** just received by  
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**CURACOA BITTER**  
WILL KEEP OFF MALARIA.  
For sale at  
LUNT'S, feb26  
**HAVE YOU SEEN THEM?** Before buying a gun examine the "New Baker's" \$25, on which we are making a special run. Satisfaction guaranteed by  
JAS. F. OAKLIN & SONS,  
315 King Street.  
**CHOICE N. Y. LAYER EGGS** received by  
oct17 J. C. MILBURN.

**WARFIELD & HALL**  
Just received by  
Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.  
MOORE BROS. VETERINARY MEDICINES.  
Antiparasitic Worm and Tonic Powder for Horses and Dogs.  
Golden Blisters.  
Cow Drops.  
Gall Powders. For sale by  
oct16 W. F. OREIGNTON & CO.  
**GUNS, PISTOLS, SHELLS, LOADING IMPLEMENTS and AMMUNITION** on hand and for sale by  
oct14 J. T. OREIGNTON & SON.  
**CALL and examine my stock of ARTISTS' MATERIAL** at Washington prices.  
oct13 W. T. SMITH.

**W. F. OREIGNTON & CO.**  
For gargle, maw bound, bloating and fever Milk fever and abortion preventives just received and for sale by  
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